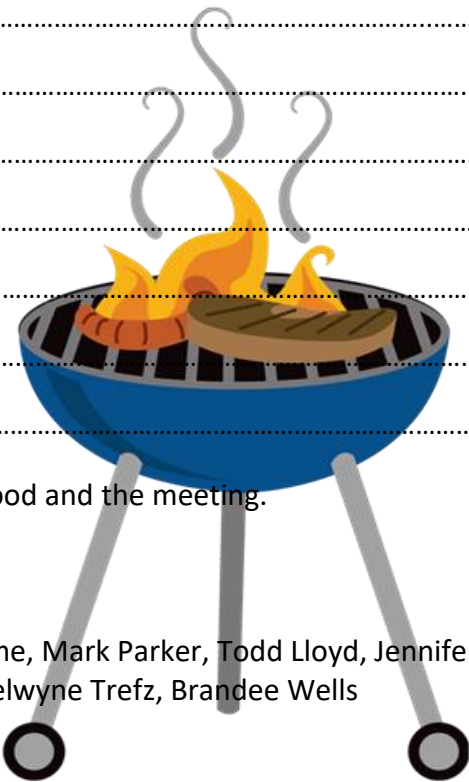


Bear Lake County Soil and Water Conservation District Board Meeting September 12, 2019 at Geneva Pavilion

Welcome: Chris welcomed everyone and started the tour

Leave for first site.....	5:10
Boehme’s Streambank Project.....	5:30
Leave for next project (Price).....	5:50
Price High Tunnel (NRCS).....	5:55
Leave for next project (Loertscher).....	6:05
Loertscher off stream watering system.....	6:15
Leave for next site (Boehme).....	6:35
Boehme High Tunnel (NRCS).....	6:40
Leave for next site (Tuescher).....	6:50
Teuscher Pipeline and Diversion Structure.....	6:55
Teuscher Pump and watering System.....	7:05
Leave for Dinner	7:35
Dinner at the Geneva Pavilion.....	7:40



Prayer: James offered a prayer on the food and the meeting.

Business portion of Meeting:

Present: James Hardcastle, Devin Boehme, Mark Parker, Todd Lloyd, Jennifer Jenson, Chris Banks, Allan Johnson, Cooper Jensen, Delwyne Trefz, Brandee Wells

Time: 9:00 PM (Board Meeting)

Agency Reports:

NRCS: Cooper told the board that funding will be going back to the counties and we will be teamed up with Caribou County to decide how the money should be used. We will set up a meeting with them in the next couple of months.

FSA: Kathy had asked Brandee to let the board know that MFP sign ups are going on now and that PLC signups are starting now.

Bear Lake County Commissioner: None

Bear Lake County Weed Control: None

Bear Lake County Extension: None

ISWCC: Allan talked how he needs to still do some work with Carson. Hopefully we will get it done next month. Budget request are approved for 2021. All agencies will have a hold back of 5% for 2020 budget. Rule making process is going on now. Performance measures have been approved. Project Tracker is up and running.

Delwyne came to the tour and board meeting. He handed out a newsletter to the board. He said he came to look at some of our ongoing projects and to have a face to face with the Districts. He told the board some information that is going on in Franklin. The Criminal court is done but there is a civil charge on the board now.

Grant Updates:

Conservation Basics: Chris said that the tour went well. He said that stuff has even been done since he was out on Friday. Teuscher's project looks good. Joel is finishing up and has a lot of help. The Subgrant for the Bear River nutrient Reduction Project was sent in and maybe this fall we can start work on it, for sure this Spring. He told the board that he sent in the next grant. We don't know when the BAG meeting will be this year but maybe in November. There are only 2 projects in the Bear River that were applied for. James said that there is a bridge just before Bern that should be looked at and see if we can get it in the next grant application. It was lots of erosion and he is losing land.

District: Brandee told the board that the French Dutch fuels Reduction Grant is done mowing and thinning trees. They have some cleanup work that needs to be done and then the seeding after the snow. Tyre is coming on Friday September 20 to check the project and then we can start making payments. She also told them about the education class that Mark has helped get going on September 20 at 6:30 at the Bear Lake County Fire Station.

Meetings:

Division Meeting: October 24 @ Fish and Game Regional office in Pocatello. We need a count by Oct. 18, and it is \$18.00 a plate.

IASCD 2018 Annual Conference: November 12-15, 2019 in at the Riverside Hotel in Boise. Brandee gave the board copies of the registration so they can look at it.

Minutes: Devin made the motion to approve the Minutes from the August meeting. Todd 2nd the motion. Motion carried.

Financial Reports/Bills: Mark made the motion to accept the financial statement. Todd 2nd the motion. Motion Carried.

Next Meeting: Oct. 7th, 2019

Adjournment: Todd made a motion to Adjourn the meeting. Mark 2nd the Motion.